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PART III.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

NOTIFICATION.

No. Fl. 485—*Ex.* 61-21-13, *dated* 19*th July* 1923.

Under Section 4 (*g*) of the Mysore Excise Regulation, V of 1901, as amended from time to time and in supersession of Notification No. Fl. 684—Ex. 61-21-5, dated 1st August 1922, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to delegate the following powers to the officers mentioned below :—

Powers to be exercised by the Excise Commissioner—

1. *Appointments.*—(*a*) Power to appoint, transfer and grant leave to all Inspectors and Probationary Inspectors. The appointment of Inspectors on pay of Rs. 100 and above will be subject to approval of Government.

(*b*) Power to appoint and transfer—(1) ministerial and menial establishment in his own office and in Central Distillery including the executive establishment in the latter and (2) Head Clerks of the Excise Branch of the Deputy Commissioners' Offices, on a pay of Rs. 57—4—77 or more. The appointment of officials on Rs. 100 and above will be subject to the approval of Government.

(*c*) In regard to punishments full powers in respect of all the above officials.

2. *Remissions.*—Power to write off irrecoverable arrears of Excise Revenue subject to a limit of Rs. 1,000 in each case.

3. *Refunds.*—Power to sanction, without any limit refunds of :—

(1) Excess recovery. (2) Amounts wrongly recovered. (3) Amounts recovered but ordered by Government to be remitted. (4) Excise Revenue due to Inamdars, whose claims to it have been recognised by Government.

All cases of importance and cases not authorised by standing orders and rules should be submitted to Government.

4. *Date of birth.*—Power to sanction alterations in the dates of birth of officials.

5. *Prohibition of transport.*—Power under Section 9 of the Excise Regulation to prohibit the transport of liquor or of intoxicating drugs from any local area into any other areas.

6. Power to purchase within the budget allotment paint (for marking trees) and liquor testing instruments. The purchase of stores laid down in the Government Order No. Fl. 3238-37—G. F. 10-17-47, dated 4th January 1918 (*vide* pages 176-221 of the Mysore Account Code appendices to Volume 1).

II. Powers to be exercised by the Deputy Commissioners of Districts :—

(*a*) Power to appoint, transfer and grant leave, etc., to Assistant Inspectors of all classes.

(*b*) Power to appoint ministerial officers except Head Clerks, when the pay of the latter is Rs. 57—4 —77 or higher.

(*c*) In regard to punishments, full powers in respect of all the above officials.

(*d*) Power to write off irrecoverable arrears of Excise Revenue up to a limit of Rs. 50.

III. Powers to be exercised by the District Excise Officers and Assistant Commissioners in charge of Excise work.

(*a*) Power to appoint and transfer Sub-Inspectors and menial servants and Assistant Inspectors of the last class, but, when they are to be transferred from one district to another, the approval of the Deputy Commissioners of Districts concerned should be obtained.

(*b*) In regard to punishments, power to fine up to Rs. 5 and to award black marks up to Assistant Inspectors of all grades, to degrade and suspend Assistant Inspectors of the last class and full powers in the case of Sub-Inspectors and menial servants.

(*c*) Power to appoint clerks and Vottu Mutsaddis up to Rs. 25 and menials of all classes in District Excise Office Establishments, subject to the conditions that the appointment of clerks and Vottu Mutsaddis is intimated without delay to the Deputy Commissioner, who may for reasons stated cancel the appointment as in the Revenue Department.

By Order,
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Revenue Department.